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MEMORANDUM FOR: David Potter
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SUBJECT: **April 2006** Marine Mammal, Sea Turtle and Sea Bird
Incidental Take Report

The following 133 observed trips were completed during the month of April 2006, not including 1 aborted trip.

Dredge, Hydraulic Clam	0	Gillnet, Drift Sink	8
Dredge, Other nk species	0	Longline, Bottom	1
Dredge, Sea Scallop	0	Trawl, Mid-water	0
Dredge, Closed Area Sea Scallop	0	Trawl, Mid-water Paired	0
Gillnet, Anchored Sink	71	Trawl, Otter, Bottom (fish)	49
Gillnet, Anchored Floating	1	Trawl, Otter, Bottom (scallop)	0
Gillnet, Drift Floating	3	Trawl, Otter, Bottom (shrimp)	0

For the month of April 2006, 17 incidental takes were observed. They are listed below.

GEAR/TRIP TYPE	HAUL TARG SPP	TRIP ID	DATE LANDED	COMMON SPECIES NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	DISPOSITION
ASG 100	Monkfish	B46018L	4/20/2006	Porpoise/Dolphin, nk	<i>Phocoenidae/Delphinidae spp</i>	Dead, severely decomposed
BOTF 050	Groundfish nk	D30013-	4/29/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, moderately decomposed
ASG 100	Monkfish	E35013L	4/12/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, fresh
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BOTF 050	Groundfish nk	E40006-	4/30/2006	Gray Seal	<i>Halichoerus grypus</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Monkfish	E47010L	4/26/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Monkfish	E47010L	4/26/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, condition unknown
ASG 100	Monkfish	E47010L	4/26/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Monkfish	E47010L	4/26/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Atl Mackerel	F58016L	4/17/2006	Loon, nk	<i>Gaviidae spp</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Flounder, nk	F67018L	4/10/2006	Cormorant, nk	<i>Phalacrocorax spp</i>	Alive, not injured
ASG 100	Flounder, nk	F67018L	4/10/2006	Cormorant, nk	<i>Phalacrocorax spp</i>	Alive, not injured





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ASG 100	Monkfish	F82012L	4/10/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Monkfish	F82012L	4/10/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Monkfish	F82013L	4/11/2006	Harbor Porpoise	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	Dead, fresh
ASG 100	Groundfish nk	F89010L	4/16/2006	Surf Scoter	<i>Melanitta perspicillata</i>	Dead, fresh

“C” signifies a complete fish data collection trip (all hauls were observed for complete catch data); “L” signifies a limited fish data collection trip (all hauls were observed for marine mammal interactions and fallouts); “-” signifies all other trips.

ASG = Anchored Sink Gillnet, BOTF = Bottom Otter Trawl (fish)





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